Amendment No. 3 to HB2202

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 497*

House Bill No. 2202

by adding the following new section immediately preceding the last section and by renumbering the subsequent section accordingly:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-50-102, is amended by deleting item (6) in its entirety.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-50-322(a)(1)(A), is amended by deleting the language "intermediate driver license, learner permit, or certificate for driving," and by substituting instead the language "intermediate driver license or learner permit,".

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-50-323, is amended by deleting subsection (e) in its entirety.

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-50-331, is amended by deleting subsections (h) and (i) in their entirety.

SECTION 5. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-50-332, is amended by deleting subsection (c) in its entirety.

SECTION 6. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-50-337, is amended by deleting subsection (c) in its entirety.

SECTION 7. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-50-331, is amended by deleting subsection (g) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following language:

(g) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the department may issue a driver license to persons whose presence is the United States has been authorized by the federal government for a specific purpose and for a specified period of authorized stay. Such driver license shall be valid only during the period of time of the applicant's authorized stay in the United States; provided, however, that no such driver license shall be issued for a period of less than one (1) year or longer than five (5) years.

SECTION 8. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-50-331, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated subsection:

() The department, in conjunction with the Tennessee bureau of investigation and the governor's office of homeland security, is hereby directed to conduct a comprehensive study of the certificate for driving program in Tennessee. This study shall include, but not be limited to, a comprehensive examination of any homeland security and citizen safety issues related to the certificate for driving program. The results of this study shall be presented to the governor, the speaker of the senate, the speaker of the house, and the chairpersons of the senate and house transportation committees not later than December 1, 2006.

SECTION 9. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-50-337, is amended by deleting subsection (d) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following language:

(d) Any person issued a license or permit prior to July 1, 2004, who is subject to the provisions of §55-50-331(g) shall, upon renewal or reapplication, receive, if otherwise eligible, a driver license which shall expire in accordance with such subsection.

SECTION 10. This act shall take effect July 1, 2006, the public welfare requiring it.